

## REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)

Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. § 132, effective on May 29, 2000, provides for continued examination of an utility or plant application filed on or after June 8, 1995. See The American Inventors Protection Act of 1999 (AIPA).

**TRANSMITTAL** 

Application Number	09/934784
Filing Date	August 22, 2001
First Named Inventor	Gary R. Gilliam
Group Art Unit	2829
Examiner Name	Ernest Karlsen
Attorney Docket Number	303.221US5

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR § 1.114 of the above-identified application entitled ON-CHIP SUBSTRATE REGULATOR TEST MODE.

Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

- Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on . 1.
- Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on. 2. \_\_
- An Amendment Under 37 CFR § 1.116 (11 pages) is enclosed. 3. X
- 4. \_\_ A new power of attorney ( pages ) is enclosed.
- An Information Disclosure Statement is enclosed ( pages ). 5. X
  - Form(s) 1449
  - b. 1 Copies of IDS Citations
- A check in the amount of \$750.00 is attached to pay the RCE filing fee required under C.F.R. § 1.17(e). 6. <u>X</u>
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit overpayments or charge any fees set forth in 37 CFR 7. X §§ 1.16 through 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 19-0743.
- A petition for extension of time in the prior application ( pages ) is enclosed along with a check in the amount of to pay the extension fee.
- 9. Others:

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## **EXPEDITED PROCEDURE – EXAMINING GROUP 2829**

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## AMENDMENT & RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

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In response to the final Office Action mailed March 20, 2003, Applicants submit the following remarks for the Examiner's consideration.

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